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Store For Women
and Girls

SIMON HERZSTEIN
Clayton's Only Ready-to-Wear Store

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End of July Bargains

Most stores wait until August 10th to 15th to give customers the bargains I am offering during the last of July--- I will leave for the markets soon to buy new fall merchandise, and I wish to convert into ready cash most all of the summer goods before I go---therefore these early reductions.

End of July Special

Guaranteed all Silk Crepe de Chine
Waists \$1.50 Each

White or Flesh colors. The silk used in these waists is absolutely dependable. Every one is cut full, blousey and correct. They are made with the new hemstitched Quaker collar of organdi with cuffs to match.

Choice \$1.50 each

ALL LOW SHOES

Now On Sale

25% Off

This is the chance you have been waiting for, you can still wear low shoes over three months and then a pair of overgaiters will make them do for winter wear.

End of July Special

Mens' Overalls on Sale this week at
50c Pair

100 pairs in the lot. Most of them are union made some of them have bibbs, some without. Just think of it.

Mens' Overalls 50c a Pair!

Better buy several pairs, this opportunity will not happen again.

Low Shoes for Women

\$2.00 House Slippers now	\$1.50
2.50 Vici Oxfords now	1.88
3.00 black and white Pumps	2.25
3.00 patent leather Pumps	2.25
3.50 dress Pumps now	2.63

Low Shoes for Children

75c Mary Jane Pumps now	.57
\$1.00 " " " " now	.80
1.00 Barefoot Sandals now	.80
1.35 1 Strap Sandals now	1.00
1.50 patent leather Sandals	1.15

Low Shoes for Men

\$2.00 White Canvas Oxfords now	\$1.50
2.50 Palm Beach Oxfords now	1.88
3.25 Gum Metal Oxfords now	2.44
3.50 " " Button oxfords	2.63
6.00 Floersheim oxfords	4.50

ALL LOW SHOES NOW ON SALE AT 25 PER CENT OFF. DON'T MISS THIS

The German Reply

The German note answering the second one dispatched by this nation to the imperial government was delivered to Ambassador Gerard at Berlin last Friday week. The note is an assurance of protection of American lives so long as they travel on ships bearing the American flag and are engaged in legitimate trade. The two important paragraphs of the note that bear directly upon the issue in question are as follows:

First—A reiterated assurance that American ships engaged in legitimate trade will not be interfered with, nor the lives of Americans on neutral ships be endangered.

Second—German submarines will be instructed to allow American passenger ships to pass freely and safely, Germany entertaining in return a confident hope that the American government will see that these ships do not carry contraband; that such ships are to be provided with distinguishing marks and their arrival to be announced at a reasonable time in advance. The same privileges are extended to a reasonable number of neutral passenger ships under the American flag and should the number of ships thus available for passenger service be inadequate, Germany is willing to permit America to place four hostile passenger steamers under the American flag to ply between North America and Europe under the same conditions.

Referring to the Lusitania affair the imperial government denies the responsibility of the loss of American lives in much the same manner and tone as was embodied in the first note. It sets out the fact that the giant liner was carrying contraband of war, was flying the flag of the enemy, and was capable of escaping the submarine should warning have been given. The note dwells upon the declaration of Great Britain, citing that it was the intention of that power to withhold from Germany, foodstuffs and munitions of war, and that it was necessary for the imperial government to resort to submarine warfare on merchantmen. It excuses the loss

of ships of this class had led the commander of the submarine to believe that sufficient time would elapse between the torpedoing of the ship and the sinking, to allow all passengers and crew to take boats. Whether this explanation will meet the demands and requirements of the United States remains to be seen, but the fact remains that hundreds of noncombatants lost their lives in the sinking of the liner. The appeal to the United States that citizens of this country traveling to foreign lands through the danger zone of submarine warfare be cautioned and advised to make such passage on ships flying the American flag and the imperial government would guarantee safe passage in the danger zone, so far as her warfare was concerned. The question that the president of the United States will now have to consider is whether a further loss of life, which would be the result of a breach of relations with Germany, is justifiable and necessary in retaliation for the loss of the American lives on the Lusitania.

Odd Bits of News

Chicago, Ill.—The Northwestern railroad has put a lunch-counter car on the "golf special," Chicago's swiftest suburban train. Out-going golfers now dine at a white enameled counter running the full length of the car, with a row of high seats in front of it, and white garbed waiters assemble a half-minute meal on order.

Chester, W. Va.—Lightning struck a tree near a small farmhouse three miles from here, knocking it entirely the roof of the house and killed two sisters, Miss Nancy Logan and Mrs. Margaret Wychoff.

Atlanta, Ga.—Rev. G. W. Eichelberger, in the current issue of the Georgia Commonwealth, says that women are drinking more liquor than men, and that men are drinking less than a few years ago. He urges a legislative fight to enforce prohibition in Georgia, which, although dry, he says, has a blind-tiger in every near-beer stand.

Huntington, W. Va.—Because his wife chewed tobacco in bed, Fran-

cis Edgell was granted a divorce as well as the custody of their four children.

Philadelphia, Penn.—A Christmas greeting mailed in New York more than seven years ago, reached its destination less than 100 miles away last Sunday. The letter was sent by H. C. Pearson, an employee of the Western Union Telegraph Co., to his wife, who, at that time, resided in Allentown, Penn.

Connellsville, Pa.—Frances Caderno, 20 years of age, manages a 76 acre farm near here, including the care of six horses and several cows. She has been in charge of the farm for three years, and has discarded skirt for trousers to work in the field and barn.

Philadelphia, Penn.—When the coaster brake on Joe Ritter's bicycle went wrong and the rider was in danger of drowning, he guided his bicycle into a tree. At the impact the boy was thrown over the handle bars and into the tree, where he rebounded and fell into a crotch and was wedged there. Several men loosened him and sent him to a hospital.

Are You Feeling Fit?

Do you envy the man or woman of untiring energy, strong body and happy disposition? All these depend upon good health, and good health is impossible when the kidneys are weak, overworked or diseased. Foley Kidney Pills act promptly and help the kidneys filter the blood and cast out the poisonous waste products that cause sore and swollen muscles and joints, backache, rheumatism, and the symptoms that give warning of dangerous kidney and bladder ailments.—City Drug Store.

The Reason

"But Eliza," said the mistress, "your little boy was christened George Washington. Why do you call him Izaak Walton? Walton, you know, was the famous fisherman."

"Yes'm," answered Eliza, "but dat chile's repetashun fo' tellin' de troof mde dat change impertive."—Seattle Times.

CEDAR POSTS

Club together and buy good fence posts in car lots at low prices. All kinds of

FENCE, CORRAL, GAT, SHAD AND TELEPHONE CEDAR POSTS

If you only wish a few hundred posts write me as I may be able to ship them in someone's order that goes to your shipping point.

S. M. PATTERSON, BELTON, TEXAS

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I have a complete stock of all kinds of Building Material. Let us figure your bills, no matter how small or large. We will save you money and treat you right.

TOM GRAY LUMBER CO.

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Clayton, New Mexico

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT TAXPAYERS

THE UNDERSIGNED TREASURER AND EX-OFFICIO COLLECTOR, for the County of Union, State of New Mexico, does hereby give public notice that he will on the 9th day of August, 1915, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the courthouse of said county of Union, in Clayton, offer for sale, separately and in consecutive order, each parcel of property upon which any taxes are delinquent, as shown by the tax rolls or so much thereof as may be necessary to realize the respective amounts due, which sale

will continue not later than four o'clock in the afternoon, and from day to day at the same hours, until all of said property shall have been sold or until the amounts due shall have been paid or realized.

The public is further notified that such sale will not continue for more than thirty days.

NESTOR C. de BACA,
Treasurer and Ex-Officio Coll.
By F. C. de BACA, Deputy.

Turnip Seed

Now is the time to plant. We have all kinds in bulk. Price 50c per pound. Herzstein's.